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### THE RAYMOND LION

The Raymond Lions Club held a special Directors meeting in the Town Hall recently with seven of the ten members of the Board being present. President Arlidge Hill conducted the meeting and handled a considerable amount of business in an hour.

The local Lions are supplying the Trophies for the third event at the local Curling Bonspiel this week.

A very worthy project, our local school Eye Survey, is now underway. Mr. Palmer of Lethbridge is spending Wednesdays here testing the eye-sight of local school children. The Lions pay Mr. Palmer to carry on this work every year. The Doctor and School Principals in co-operation with our Conservation of Sight Committee have worked out a long-range plan to examine every child several times during his school life. Complete records are kept of every child needing attention. The parents then receive a letter advising them to take the child to his family optometrist and undergo further tests and obtain the treatment needed.

The school authorities feel that this project in our community is rendering a great service to the youth of our town. Many did not suspect any irregularity and others, including many parents, did not realize the handicap poor eye-sight may be to a child. Some cannot afford this service when it is necessary to have the work done in Lethbridge. The whole lifetime of a child may be impaired by neglecting this service. Every student should have the privilege of having his eyes tested at least three times during his school life.

The biggest party of the year is coming up. LEO'S NIGHT OUT, March 25th at the Opera House. The famous Lions Hot-cake and Old Time Dance Free hot cakes and good music. This event has become a tradition in Raymond. "We'll see you at the Lions Hotcake Dance" is a by-word in southern Alberta these days.

### 13 M Men and Gleaners Honored At Stake Green and Gold Ball

The Stake Green and Gold Ball held Friday night was the culmination of the Ward Balls held throughout the Stake the past weeks. A large crowd was present to enjoy a gay evening of dancing and floorshow. But perhaps the highlight of the evening was the presentation of certificates to eight Golden Gleaners and five Master M Men.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hudson on the grass carpeted stage, gazing at the distant beautiful scene of the Cardston Temple, formed an impressive background for the presentations.

Those receiving the honors this evening were Elaine Stevenson Low, Norma Dahl Turner, Bernice Dahl, Della Rogers, Betty Wilde, Margaret Leishman, Malcolm Bridge, Bill Bowden, Murray Wilde, Gordon Wilde and Wesley Rogers. Hazel Fairbanks and Dorene Snow Hutchinson were unable to be present to accept their awards.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strong directed the floor show which was beautifully danced by M Men and Gleaners from the various Wards. Tea For Two was the number played.

After a waltz by the Master M Men and Golden Gleaners and their partners, general dancing was resumed until midnight.

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A young Colleen was born to Mrs. Dick Peterson at the local hospital on St. Patrick's Day. Mrs. Peterson is from Cutbank, Montana, and is visiting here at the J. L. Larson home.

### Norma Meldrum Heads New Hospital Auxiliary

The Home Nursing Group of the Canadian Culture Classes met at the Town Hall on Monday night, together with 22 visitors who had been invited to help form a Hospital Auxiliary. After a brief talk by the instructor, Norma Meldrum, and a few words by the Matron, Miss Bucknell, the Hospital Auxiliary was organized.

The following ladies are on the executive: President, Norma Meldrum; First Vice Pres., Irene Miller; Second Vice Pres., Dorothy Dahl; Secretary, Phyl Meeks; Treasurer, Idale Kenney.

Committees for Ways and Means, Membership, Sewing and Sick Visiting are to be appointed by the executive.

### What Happened At The Council Meeting

Statutory Meeting of the Council was held in the Town Hall on Monday at 8 p.m.

Present were, retiring Mayor Wm. Jensen, Councillors Wilde, Galbraith, Mayor elect Frank R. Taylor and Councillors elect Albert Ralph, John Kenney and Robert Salmon.

Mayor Jensen read the certificate of the returning officer and the elected Mayor and Councillors took their oath of office before W. L. Jones, Notary Public.

Mayor Taylor then took the chair and expressed the appreciation of himself and the council for the years of service of the retiring Mayor.

Mayor Taylor then assigned the members to the various committees and appointed Wm. W. Wilde Deputy Mayor for the months of March, April and May.

The regular business of the Council was then proceeded with.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted on motion of Councillor Ralph and the Cash Statement was read and accepted on motion of Councillor Wilde.

Moved by Councillor Galbraith that all cheques, notes, drafts, contracts etc be signed by either Mayor Frank Taylor or Councillor Wm. Wilde and countersigned by the Secretary Treasurer Warren Jones. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Kenney that the following five councillors constitute the Court of Revision: Councillors Wm. Wilde, (Chairman), Albert Ralph, Howard Melchin, Bruce Galbraith and Robert Salmon; and that the hearing be April 7th. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Ralph that Leonard D. Watson be appointed Auditor for 1952 at same salary as last year, \$250.00 Carried.

The Mayor called a special meeting March 17 at 8 p.m. for the purpose of hearing a report from Mrs. Ellen Winkler who had attended the Civil Defence School. He also wished to have the School Board attend and report their progress in attempting to get additional lands in the Raymond School District and to discuss requisitions and budgets.

A recent Order-In-Council required the appointment of a local Plumbing Inspector with a Plumbing Permit system. Moved by Councillor Ralph that Wm. Hague be appointed Inspector and that the same fees for permits as charged by the Provincial government be put into effect. Carried.

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### 288 Honored Guests Gather At Annual Party

One of the largest crowds ever to assemble for Honored Guests Day met here Wednesday March 12, in the Opera House. The hall was prettily decorated in yellow and green, and the tables carried the theme of St. Patrick's. The many bouquets of beautiful flowers lent another colorful picture to the scene. Honored Guests began to arrive at 11:30. They were greeted and welcomed by Mayor and Mrs. Taylor, Bishop and Mrs. Snow and Bishop and Mrs. Wilde. Grandpa Dahl was the first guest on hand, and first to receive the Honored Guest Lapel Ribbon.

Dinner was under way at approximately one o'clock. Uncle Joe Nilsson offered grace. This year's menu was roast beef and pork, dressing, mashed potatoes and brown gravy, corn, beans, pickles, jelly and fruit salad; topped by ice cream and cake. There were 288 plates served, an increase of 45 over last year's total. Flowers and dinners or lunches were sent out to 12 of our hospitalized and shut-in Honored Guests.

The afternoon program was in the charge of Bishop Golden Snow, who substituted for our absent Chairman, Orrin Turner. Bishop Snow spoke a few words of welcome, then handed the program over to our jovial and congenial Master of Ceremonies, Howard Rasmussen. At its conclusion the oldest gentleman and lady present were called to the platform. Heber Coles, 95, and Grandma Fisher, 85, and were presented with a gift; a box and tie, and a rose bowl and rose respectively. The oldest couples present were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Lamb, who each received a pretty bouquet of flowers. Mose Fromm took pictures of these Honored Couples.

While supper was being prepared an hour was spent in visiting, and no doubt much reminiscing was done. Following a light but tasty supper of meat buns and hot cocoa, ice cream cones and cake—the guests were treated to forty minutes of talking films shown by Mose Fromm.

Dancing got under way at 8:30 to music played by Qually's Old Time Orchestra of Lethbridge. Jerry James of Magrath, was Floor Manager and Caller. While awaiting his arrival Altha Peterson called out the opening Circle Two Step. The Waltons, Balls and Wagstaffes led the dance. Two special numbers were the Widows Waltz and the Prize Waltz. Honors of the first dance went out to Mrs. Holt and partner, Bliss Roberts and Grandma Nalder and partner Teddy Wagstaffe; and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens and Bliss Roberts and Mrs. Irene Redd won the prize waltz. Flowers were given as prizes. Much credit is due Jerry James as Floor Manager. There were more dancing than sitting down during the course of the evening.

On Sunday forty-seven relatives met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alma Hancock for a Family Reunion.

A delicious turkey dinner was served the guests after which the Harold Christensens and Allen Christensens of Stirling, Donald Christensens of New Dayton, Lenay Christensens of Rosemary, Geo. Loxtons, Bud Strongs and Herb Garrett of Magrath enjoyed an afternoon of visiting and viewing slides. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. Leo Michols of Calgary visited with us briefly this week.

The morning radio program "Especially For You" was thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated by our Honored Guests. Tears came into the eyes of many as they were carried far into the past by the memorable piano ramblings of Earl LePage—CJOC's talented pianist, who dedicated his entire program to Raymond's Honored Guest Day. The numbers he played were as follows:

Hail, Hail, The Gangs All Here (that was for us, the Committee) Dear Hearts and Gentle People, Put On Your Old Grey Bonnet, Believe Me Of All Those Endearing Young Charms, Silver Threads Among The Gold (request for our friend Mrs. H. Woolley of Lethbridge), When You Were Sweet Sixteen, When You And I Were Young Maggie and Auld Lang Syne.

Mr. LePage expressed his pleasure of just such a day, and how he wished he could play for our honored guests again next year.

The afternoon program was as follows:

Community Singing led by Gen Hawkins accompanied by Emma Dahl at the piano. Let The Rest of The World Go By, In The Good Old Summer Time, When Irish Eyes Are Smiling, The Old Mill Stream, Side-walks of New York, and When You Wore a Tulip.

'Old Paint' a quartet by Tim Court and company;

'Too Old to Cut The Mustard' Mary Court;

'Albert At The Zoo' and its sequel by Nina Jones;

'The Old Gray Mare' acted out horse fashion by ?;

'Fat Little Feller' and 'The Sun Would Shine Again' vocal solos by Jeanne Jensen;

'Officer, Help Me Find Beth' original reading by Vi Meeks;

'Because' saxophone solo by Deb Oler.

Medley of Old Favorites by the First Ward Bishopric;

'How Roi Stone Learned to Play The Piano' as told and dramatized by the Master of Ceremonies himself.

'The Wedding March' from Midsummer Night Dream, piano duet by Roseana Bingham and Margaret Jacobs;

Reading by Rhonda Dahl;

Four band selections by the Raymond Band under the capable direction of Grant Erickson.

Right here we wish to compliment Mr. Erickson on the splendid work he is doing. He played to an attentive and appreciative audience.

Everyone reported a grand day and a grand time, and that this year was a lot of fun. Here's to an even bigger and better Honored Guest Day in 1953.

—Norma Zobell

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Piegras and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Piegras of Edmonton have been visiting in Foremost at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heninger.

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Meldrum announce the engagement of their daughter LaDon to Dietrich Karl Gehmlich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gehmlich, all of Raymond.

The wedding will take place in the Alberta Temple on March twenty first.

### Elayne Larsen And Allan Nalder Exchange Wedding Vows

On Saturday, March 8th, Elayne, daughter of Mrs. Anne Larsen and the late Owen Larsen, became the bride of Allan, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Nalder, at a quiet wedding solemnized by Bishop Jensen at the home of the Bride's mother.

The radiant bride entered on the arm of her uncle Jesse Atwood, who gave her in marriage, while Maxine Dahl played the Wedding March.

Her gown was of lustrous white satin fashioned with white net to give an off-the-shoulder affect, and the bouffant skirt was caught up to reveal rows of dainty lace. A finger tip veil was held in place by a lovely coronet studded with seed pearls and brilliants. Her bouquet was made up of white and red carnations.

Carol Larsen, gowned in a pink formal with matching head-dress and carrying a bouquet of daffodils and carnations, attended her sister as Maid of Honor; and Barbara Christensen in a yellow gown and head-dress also carried daffodils and carnations. Arlene Ralph and Rose Czeck in mauve and blue respectively, wore carnation corsages.

Mrs. Larsen chose for her daughter's wedding, a navy blue crepe frock complimented by pink carnations, and the groom's mother wore a black afternoon dress to which was pinned a corsage of white carnations.

The Groom's brother, Sherwin Nalder, attended him as Best Man.

After an accordion solo by Myrna Barton, best wishes and congratulations were extended the happy couple by the relatives and friends present.

From six to ten in the evening many others called to add their best wishes. Mr. and Mrs. George Erickson welcomed the guests at the door and Mrs. Larsen accepted and arranged the many lovely gifts. Carol Larsen presided at the Guest Book. Mabel Veen Louella Hague and Helen Atwood were in charge of the delicious lunch served by Hazel Atwood and Della Hirsche.

Pink tapers and lovely bouquets of red and white carnations and tulips flanked the three tiered wedding cake that graced the Bride's Table.

For their honeymoon to Great Falls Mrs. Nalder wore a navy blue dress topped by a pic and pic coat and blue accessories. A red and white carnation corsage complimented the ensemble.

The newly-weds plan to make their home in Blairmore.

On Tuesday twelve Deacons and fourteen Bee Hive Girls from Howard Hicken's and Barbara McPhee's Mutual Classes motored to Cardston for Baptisms.

Cars were supplied by Evans Jensen, Howard Hicken, Louis Frazer, Warren Jones and Adrian Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor are leaving on the 22nd of the month for a trip that most people just dream about. Their destination is the West Indies where Mr. Taylor must go on business.

From Miami, Florida they will fly to Hozama in the Dominican Republic where they will stay for two weeks. Cuba, New Orleans and Detroit are on the agenda for their return trip; driving from Detroit to Tuscola, Illinois to visit Mr. and Mrs. Byron Anderson.

Doesn't it sound wonderful!

Mrs. Lavern Anderson plans to travel as far as Chicago with them and then go on to Tuscola to visit Mr. and Mrs. Byron Anderson.



### Chips From The Scout Log

First Raymond Troop

Last Week

At last week's meeting Jim Mc Mahon discussed compass points and direction, and maps and map reading.

Max Holt has earned his Carpenters Badge and Max and Rodney Kiddle their Leatherworkers Badges.

At Court of Honor (a meeting for leaders after the regular scout meeting) the following items were discussed:

It was decided that the Scouts could help in the Spring Clean-Up by collecting and bundling waste paper from the homes.

The telephone directories are to be distributed by the Troop.

Standards were set for summer camp. Angelo Viola, Gordon Tychsen, Max Holt, Sam Longbotham, David Still, Rodney Kiddle and Arthur Hudson are to be Kings Scouts before they can go.

This week there will be no Scout Meeting because of the plays which are being put on at the First Ward.

Patrol Trophy Competition

With two weeks to go in the current contest, the standings are as follows: Fox Patrol (Gordon Tychsen P.L.), Wolf Patrol (Max Holt P.L.), Beaver Patrol (Gerry Dahl P.L.) and the Stag Patrol (Sam Longbotham P.L.)

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### Truck Licenses Available Here

We thought this letter, handed to us by Wilford Meldrum, would be of interest to local truck owners.

T. W. Meldrum,  
Raymond, Alberta

Dear Will:

I was surprised to hear that Raymond ratepayers could not buy their truck license in Raymond when I was in the office of the Traffic Board the other day. I requested this service last year.

I took the matter up with the Minister and he signed the order this morning. You will henceforth be able to get car and truck licenses in Raymond.

Sincerely yours,  
L. C. Halmrast, M.L.A.

Mrs. Anne Larsen and Chrissie Rice were business visitors in Calgary over the week-end.

Every dollar you spend at home means money in your pocket. Stop for a minute and figure out why.

### Mayor Jensen Honored By Town Employees

Mayor Jensen and his good wife were honored recently by the Town employees and their wives who met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wolf. After lunch Warren Jones showed the slides that recorded the Jones' recent trip to Eastern Canada.

At the close of a very enjoyable evening Warren presented the retiring Mayor with an electric clock as a token of esteem from the Town employees.

Thus ended the seventeen years of active service to the Town of Raymond by William Jensen.



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### QUICK CANADIAN QUIZ

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4. What Canadian shipping canal bypasses Niagara Falls?
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### Wheat Pool Reserve Purchases

The Alberta Wheat Pool recently mailed cheques totalling about \$900,000 to 20,000 Pool members. This payment is part of \$1,040,000 allocated from last year's earnings to the redemption of reserves contributed by members in the 1923-28 period.

Reserves are being redeemed from estates of deceased members, from members who have gone out of farming and sold their land, and from members 65 years of age or over who are farming or in possession of farm land who were contract signers during the period 1923-28.

In addition, a rateable purchase is being made from all original contract signers of 35 per cent of the commercial and elevator reserves standing to their credit as at February 15, 1952.

When this distribution is completed total purchases of reserves will have amounted to \$6,900,000 leaving about \$1,500,000 outstanding in the hands of the original members. Out of the total reserve purchased, \$6,000,000 worth have been reissued in the form of patronage dividends to member patrons since the year 1940. The ownership of the Alberta Wheat Pool and Pool Elevators rests with the reserves. Through this process, the control of the Alberta Wheat Pool is being kept in the hands of operating farmers.

The Friendship Club met at the home of Mrs. Carol Shaw Wednesday evening where Mrs. Dorothy Nielson presented an interesting article on Children's Behaviour Problems.

A lovely lunch was served by the hostess at the conclusion of the evening.

Mrs. Verl Meldrum was a special guest.



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**QUICK CANADIAN QUIZ**  
1. In what cities is the CBC building television stations for Canadians?  
2. What percentage of personal income tax is now deducted from the pay envelope?  
Name the six lakes in the Great Lakes system.  
4. Canada leads the world in production of what commodities?  
5. The Nelson River system originates in the Rockies, flows to where?  
ANSWERS: 5, Hudson Bay, 3, Superior, Michigan, Huron, St. Clair, Erie, Ontario, 1, Montreal and Toronto, 4, Nickel, newsprint, radium, platinum, and asbestos, 2, 100 per cent.

The Glee-ette Club honored Geneva Erickson Monday evening at a Farewell Party at the home of Mrs. Betty Evans. Assistant hostesses were Lucille Evans and Thelma Turner.  
An enjoyable evening was spent singing old favorites, of which Mose Fromm made recordings. These records were then presented to Mrs. Erickson by the group.  
A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses at the close of the evening.

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The Wheat Pool delegates decided to dispose of such earnings as follows:  
Cash dividends on member patrons' deliveries ..... \$ 400,128.00  
Redemption of 1923-28 reserves ..... 1,040,385.00  
Income tax ..... 83,390.93  
Retained to increase working capital ..... 100,092.69  
\$1,623,996.62

On February 15, 1952, the Alberta Wheat Pool mailed 20,000 cheques totalling \$900,000 to redeem 1923-28 reserves. Further redemptions will bring the total up to \$1,040,385. As this payment is a return of capital no income tax is imposed thereon.  
When this year's distribution is completed, the Alberta Wheat Pool will have redeemed reserves to the value of \$6,900,000, all at 100 cents on the dollar.

The original reserve contributions totalled about \$8,400,000, so that only \$1,500,000 of reserves will then be outstanding in members' hands.

The Alberta Wheat Pool has no capital stock. Ownership rests with reserves. As reserves are redeemed from original members (1923-28), they are re-issued to member patrons of Pool elevators in the form of patronage dividends.

When the 1950-51 program is completed, reserves to the value of \$6,000,000 will have been so re-distributed. Grain producers can increase their equity in Alberta Pool Elevators simply by delivering their grain to a Pool elevator.

With an understanding of Alberta Pool Elevator operations and policies, more grain producers should become Alberta Pool members, and the patronage of Pool elevators should steadily increase.

It is a simple matter to join the Alberta Wheat Pool. Your Pool elevator agent will explain how it is done.



**CBC News Round-Up**  
Filling in some of the detail in the picture of Canadian and World happenings which comes to us through radio and press news reports, is the job of the nationally heard program CBC News Roundup. Each day, spoken news bulletin every weekday on the en despatches from contributors throughout Canada and around the globe are transmitted to Toronto for editing by Norman DePoe—seen here, checking over a tape-recorded commentary—into the 15 minute show of on-the-spot reports which follows the national news bulletin every weekday on the CBC Trans Canada network.

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### What Happened At The Council Meeting

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It was moved by Councillor Ralph that Wm. Hague be sent to the Water and Sewage Short Course, April 14th to 19th, and that Councillor John Kenney be also sent if the necessary leave of absence was obtained from his employer. Carried.

The Mayor appointed the Finance Committee along with the Chairman of the Water Committee to meet with W. L. Jones and Wm. Hague on Thursday, March 13, to discuss wage, scale, holidays, working conditions etc. and report back on the Council on March 17th.

It was moved by Councillor Ralph that the works and Property contact J. G. Snow regarding the Machine Yard Lot and report back to the Council. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Wilde that the Health and Welfare Committee obtain the information required regarding G. Brummond and Martin Blair and report to the Secretary. Carried.

A motion by Councillor Wilde that the offer of Mr. Perks to settle an old account for \$50 be accepted was carried.

The Mayor requested that a written Police report be submitted each month.

The Pay Roll was read and ordered paid on motion of Councillor Wilde and the meeting was adjourned on the motion of Councillor Ralph.

The Second Ward Explorers and Mia Maids enjoyed a Fireside at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Deb Oler Sunday evening.

Rex Anderson was the guest speaker and gave an interesting account of missionary experiences, and showed several slides. A delicious lunch was also enjoyed.

Vernon Garner and Helen Piegrass were in charge of the Fireside.

The grain crop in India is likely to be below average this year, and relief shipments from the United States and Canada will be required.

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**SEED GERMINATION 1951 RESULTS**  
The extremely unfavorable conditions under which grain crops in Western Canada were harvested this Fall, make it essential for any farmer to have a germination test made on seed-grain intended for planting in 1952.  
Germination Results. To date, Line Elevators Farm Service has completed germination tests on over 600 farmers' seed samples of wheat, oats and barley. The results of these tests are summarized in the following table:

Crop	Percentage Germination		Percentage Germination	
	Undamaged samples	Average Range	Damaged samples	Average Range
Wheat	81	58 to 88	81	20 to 58
Oats	81	8 to 93	41	2 to 58
Barley	90	48 to 98	88	4 to 94

Conclusions. As the results under "Damaged Samples" show, the average percentage germination of grain samples affected by "Mildew", frost, and other forms of kernel damage, is considerably lower than that of the "Undamaged Samples". Although some damaged samples germinated well, the majority of them germinated poorly.

It is clearly evident from these early results that many 1951 grain crops will yield seed of low vitality. Such seed will be a poor risk for planting in 1952. Every western farmer should see to it that the seed-grain he harvested this Fall is satisfactory from the standpoint of germination.

A Warning. Farmers should not rely on securing "good" seed from grain crops that were exposed to long periods of wet weather this Fall, or from crops that will remain unthreshed until Spring. If you were unable to harvest enough "good" seed-grain this Fall, make arrangements at once to secure your seed requirements for 1952.

Tests Available. Free germination tests are offered by all local Agents of the Line Elevator Companies listed above. This seed testing service is provided for your protection. We invite you to make full use of it this year. Good seed, more than any other factor, makes productive and profitable grain crops possible.

### CHIPS FROM THE SCOUT LOG

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The first two Patrols are separated by a margin of 15 points with the others trailing a little farther behind.

**Future Activities**  
Next week the Troop is going to the YMCA at Lethbridge for swimming and life saving instructions.

The following week the meeting will be on mapping, surveying and estimations.

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### The Red Cross Needs Your Help And You Need The Red Cross

The local campaign for funds for the Canadian Red Cross commenced this week and to date the canvassers have collected about \$400 toward their quota of \$1,750. This means that there is still a long way to go if Raymond and district is to reach its objective. When the canvasser call on you remember that the contribution you give may be just the thing to save the life of someone you hold dear and dear — it might be your own!

Give generously to help those with a limited future to a future unlimited.

Provision of free blood transfusions for the majority of Canadians is the largest single item in the operational budget of the Canadian Red Cross. Lewis A. Winter, Honorary Treasurer of the Society, stated in reviewing the 1952 national appeal.

"For the first time in several years Red Cross has been obliged to enlarge its objective from \$5,000,000.00 to \$5,222,000, an increase of 4 1/2%," he said. "But in the light of ever-advancing costs, added commitments to the armed forces and the steady expansion of the free national Blood Transfusion Service, it was felt to be a reasonable requirement."

More than a third of the budget will go to the Blood Service, which last year provided free transfusions for 110,000 patients and 6,000 bottles of plasma for the armed forces. Next largest requirement is \$666,088 for Hospital, Medical, Nursing and Health Services, including operation of 75 Outpost Hospital and Nursing stations. Third largest item is \$429,795 for Service to War Veterans.

Balance of the budget will be used for instructional and welfare services international and women's work, Jr. Red Cross, administration and others.

To safeguard the public interest, Red Cross has in force a most exacting system of budgetary control, from the smallest branch to the final audit by the Department of National Defence, which final provision is called for by the Red Cross Charter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown of Sweet Grass announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Louise, born on the 4th of the month.

Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Piegrass.



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Orrin Turner left on Saturday for Los Angeles to be with his father, James F. Turner, who is very ill.

Dr. and Mrs. Harlan Taylor spent an enjoyable few days this week holidaying at Big Mountain, a Ski Resort in Montana.

Jean Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Anderson was among the students of Professor Elmer E. Nelson who was presented in the Spring Recital at the Student Recital he'd in the Recital Hall a Provo, Utah.

Miss Jean is a student at the BYU where she is majoring in music.

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Dated at Land Titles Bldg., Calgary, Alberta, 26th February, 1952.

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